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TAGS: NATO PORG UK  
SUBJECT: ALLIANCE EAST-WEST STUDY: PUBLIC STATEMENT  
REF: STATE 133295

1. IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIPT OF REFTEL EVENING MAY 25,  
CHARGE RAISED US REQUEST FOR BRITISH DEMARCHE IN PARIS  
WITH ASSISTANT UNDERSECRETARY PATRICK MOBERLY, AFTER  
BEING UNABLE TO REACH RELEVANT MINISTERS OR PERMANENT  
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UNDER-SECRETARY SIR MICHAEL PALLISER. MOBERLY SAID HE  
COULD MAKE NO COMMITMENTS ON BEHALF OF MINISTERS, BUT  
WOULD RAISE THE U.S. REQUEST IN A MEETING SCHEDULED FOR  
FRIDAY MORNING (MAY 26) WITH FOREIGN SECRETARY OWEN TO  
GO OVER NATO SUMMIT ISSUES. MOBERLY PROMISED TO BE IN  
TOUCH AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTERWARDS.  
2. EMBOFF DISCUSSED U.S. REQUEST SEPARATELY WITH KEN

SCOTT, HEAD OF EAST EUROPEAN AND SOVIET DEPT, WHO OBSERVED BRITISH DO NOT ATTACH AS MUCH IMPORTANCE TO PUBLIC STATEMENT AS USG. SCOTT SAID BRITISH SUPPORT SO FAR IN NATO FOR PUBLIC STATEMENT HAS NOT HAD MINISTERIAL BLESSING, AND THIS ISSUE WOULD REQUIRE REVIEW BY MINISTERS BEFORE DEMARCHE TO FRENCH COULD BE AUTHORIZED. SCOTT OPINED ISSUE OF PUBLIC STATEMENT MIGHT HAVE TO BE RESOLVED PERSONALLY BY MINISTERS IN WASHINGTON.

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